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N.J. BOARD OF NURSING

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
BOARD OF NURSING

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION FOR LICENSURE OF

Donna Phang-Good P 67371500

TO PRACTICE NURSING IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY

Administrative Action

CONSENT ORDER

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Nursing ("Board") upon receipt of Donna Phang-Good's application for licensure as a Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN) by examination, including voluntary consent to a criminal history background check. Upon review of the results of the criminal history background check, the Board ascertained that the applicant was arrested on February 17, 1983, by the New York City Police Department for N.Y.S. 235.05, Obscenity in the Third Degree (equivalent to N.J.S. 2C:14-4). On March 7, 1983, applicant plead guilty to the charge of N.Y.S. 240.20, Disorderly Conduct, and was fined \$50.00.

The applicant failed to disclose this arrest and conviction on her application for licensure, answering "No" to the question on the license application which asked if she had ever been arrested and "No" to the question which asked if she had ever been found guilty of any

offense.

The applicant now acknowledges the arrest and conviction, and provided the Board office with a copy of the disposition.

The Board finds that the applicant misrepresented her criminal history on the application, which constitutes a violation of N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(b).

The Board having reviewed this matter, and having considered the nature and timing of the above conduct, and the parties desiring to resolve this matter, and the Board having determined that the within Order is sufficiently protective of the public, in lieu of further proceedings, and for other good cause shown;

## IT IS on this day of March , 2016 HEREBY ORDERED AND AGREED that:

- 1. The application of Donna Phang-Good Good for licensure as a licensed practical nurse (LPN) shall be granted upon proof of successful completion of the National Council Licensure Examination for Licensed Practical Nurses (NCLEX-PN), Board review and approval of a completed application and compliance with paragraph two below.
- 2. A civil penalty in the amount of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) is hereby imposed upon the applicant for failing to disclose her arrest and conviction on her application. Payment shall be made by certified check, bank cashier check, or money order payable to "State of New Jersey," or by wire transfer, direct deposit, or credit card payment submitted contemporaneously with this signed Order. Any other

form of payment will be rejected and will be returned to the party making the payment.

3. The applicant shall obey all the laws of the State of New Jersey, the United States and their political subdivisions, as well as all regulations, rules or laws pertaining to the practice of nursing in any State or jurisdiction in which she practices nursing.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF NURSING

By:

Patricia Murphy, PhD, APN

Board President

I have read and understand the within Consent Order and agree to be bound by its terms.

Donna Phang-Good